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## NEARING THE CRISIS.

Great Britain and The Transvaal Reach the Fighting Point.

## BREAK ONLY NEEDED

Young Boers Begging to Be Led into the Battlefield—Battles Will Begin Soon Unless a Speedy Change Is Made.

Cape Town, Sept. 16.—Further telegrams from Pretoria confirm the forecast of the reply of the Transvaal to Great Britain, which does not accept the demands of the British government as a whole.

Great excitement prevails at Pretoria over the consequences which may ensue. Young Boers are asking to be led into the field immediately.

It is impossible to predict the situation after the delivery of the reply in London.

The feeling here is that it will be impossible for the royal government to again enter upon the interchange of arguments.

The Royal Munster regiment has arrived here.

## SITUATION EXTREME.

Advices From Transvaal Show the Country Is Greatly Excited.

London, Sept. 16.—Indications from all sources point to the extreme gravity of the Transvaal situation. Pretoria advices emanating from Boer sources, say The Transvaal's reply is uncompromising and preparations for a staunch resistance are proceeding continuously. Another Pretoria special says the situation is now regarded as all but hopeless, unless Great Britain retreats from her position. The dispatch adds that the governments of the two republics consider that The Transvaal should refuse to concede anything further and it is believed the Boers have the support of all Afrikaners throughout South Africa.

It is now definitely stated that the Orange Free State has agreed to unite with The Transvaal in resisting British claims.

## STRENGTH OF BOERS.

Some Place It at 50,000, but War Officials Say It Is Only 25,000.

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London, Sept. 16.—Speculations regarding the events that immediately precede and follow hostilities with The Transvaal, continue to occupy public attention. It appears that no declaration of war is necessary. The process, according to good authority, will be a proclamation by the British High Commissioner, Sir Alfred Milner, stating that the convention at London had annulled and Queen Victoria has resumed the government of the country known as the South Africa Republic. The general commanding the British expeditionary forces, will then be instructed to occupy The Transvaal and hold it until a fresh government is established. When the country is pacified a commission, doubtless representing all classes of the inhabitants of The Transvaal, will be appointed to draft a new constitution. That all this is easier said than done is quite palpable, even to the most enthusiastic Englishman.

Estimates of the strength of the Boers widely diverge. John Morley referred to them as able to put an army of 50,000 in the field, while war officials seem to think that 25,000 is all they can muster. As a matter of fact the strength entirely depends upon the assistance they receive from the Orange Free State and the natives.

The present atmosphere of war has enormously stimulated army recruiting. Crowds of young men surround the offices and daily large batches take the queen's shilling.

Correspondents of leading London papers have started for South Africa.

At the Manchester peace meeting Rt. Hon. Henry Courtney, Liberal, and formerly deputy speaker of the house of commons, read a letter received from Herbert Spencer protesting against the idea that the national honor will be enhanced by attacking a weak nation, lamenting that age and ill health prevent him from aiding in the peace movement, declaring it undeniable and that it was a Jamieson raid, in an attempt to usurp The Transvaal, and asserting what the outlanders' bullets failed to do then, they hope to do now by vote.

## BUYING WAR MATERIAL.

British Agents Purchasing Mules and Arms in the United States.

Washington, Sept. 16.—The war department has been approached by representatives of the British government who wanted to buy at once 1000 mules for shipment to South Africa for army

uses. The department, however, had disposed of all its surplus stock. The Englishmen will buy the mules in open market in the south and ship them to South Africa as fast as they can be obtained. Great Britain has also recently let several large contracts for army wagons for South Africa to the principal wagon makers in this country. The department has found England buying army equipment of almost every kind in this country of late, and in several instances has had to wait for the work being done for England to be finished before work for this government could be undertaken.

Both Great Britain and the United States are anxious to charter available vessels for army transports and there has sprung up a keen rivalry between the two countries on this score. The army in Cuba is short of many supplies and every transport leaving New York is loaded to its full capacity without being able to meet the growing demand for stores of all kinds. There is only about one week's supply of forage on hand in Cuba and the commercial lines will have to be utilized to carry forage and other supplies to the garrisons there.

## Troops Leave for Natal.

London, Sept. 16.—The first battalion of Northumberland Fusiliers, 900 strong, and detachments of the army service corps and ordnance corps, sailed on the steamer Gaul from Southampton en route to Natal. The men appeared in splendid condition and openly anxious for fighting. The officers started from London, receiving at Waterloo station an enthusiastic send off from a large crowd present. General Sir George Stewart White, V. C., formerly quartermaster general, who will command the troops in Natal, left London subsequently with his main body of officers.

## Rider Haggard a Miner.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 16.—H. Rider Haggard, the famous English novelist, left here for the Atlin gold fields, in company with Lord Ernest Hamilton. The noted English writer is traveling incognito, and while here succeeded in keeping his identity a secret. Rider Haggard has evidently gone into mining, as he has succeeded in interesting Lord Hamilton and other capitalists in quartz claims in Atlin, said to be the biggest freemilling property in the world, one of the claims being 1000 feet wide. Rider Haggard, Lord Hamilton and several others have purchased these claims from "Sailor Bill" Partridge for \$500,000, and will spend \$250,000 in the erection of the second largest stamp mill on the American continent. "Sailor Bill," who sold the claims, was a poor American sailor.

## Still Cutting Rates.

Kansas City, Sept. 16.—The war over the Kansas City and Omaha differentials to the southwest resulted in another cut in the rate on packinghouse products to the southwest. The Burlington road has given notice of a cut to 5 cents per 100 pounds from Omaha to Ohio river points. The Memphis road reduced the rate to 3 cents from Kansas City to Memphis. The Missouri Pacific having tired doing business for less than cost of transportation, has given notice that its tariffs will be restored to the rate prevailing before the rate cutting began.

## Assaulted and Robbed.

Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 16.—Mrs. E. E. Norfleet, wife of a prominent Cole county farmer, living near Hickory Hill, was assaulted by an unknown man in the orchard near her residence. She struggled so desperately that he nearly killed her. He took a pocketbook from her containing \$32. There is a mob after the man, and it is not likely that he will see the inside of Cole county jail if he should fall into the hands of the infuriated farmers.

## Two Transports Sail.

San Francisco, Sept. 16.—Two transports, the Belgian King with troops and the hospital ship Relief with surgeons, members of the hospital corps, nurses and medical supplies, sail for the Philippines. Troops which embark on the Belgian King were seven companies of the Twenty-fourth infantry and a few recruits. In addition to the regular staff the Relief carried 20 women as nurses and 100 members of the hospital corps.

## Miles Needs Dr. Gonzales.

Pensacola, Fla., Sept. 16.—Dr. S. M. Gonzales of this place is in receipt of a letter from General Miles, in which the latter states if he is assigned to the Philippines, Dr. Gonzales will accompany him as surgeon. General Miles says also that he has not received any advices as to when he will be ordered to the orient. Dr. Gonzales was chief surgeon on the staff of General Miles in the Porto Rican campaign.

## The Fire at Lincoln.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 16.—The fire which broke out in the Jacob North building caused a loss of \$500,000. It started in a block occupied entirely by printing firms and spread rapidly through the building. From there it spread to the Masonic temple, the Methodist church and the Webster block, which were also totally destroyed. Several small buildings also burned.

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A woman in New Jersey, it is said, attempted to reform her drunken husband by going to the same saloon he did and getting drunk, in the hope that he would become ashamed and quit. Instead, he gave his drunken wife a sound beating and then proceeded to tank up fuller than ever.—Orange Leader.

The American flag has again been hoisted over our new possessions. 'Tis not on an island in a foreign land this time, however, but on the old glory triumphantly waves, but the pretty new depot of the C. W. & B. V. railroad, with more than enough cars running right up to the front door.—Calvert Chronicle.

The anti-cigarette law will have tendency to assist the "cleaner leburne" move, since the small boys, prevented by law from the enjoyment of cigarettes of the store kind, are said to place a greater value on and a greater store by cigar stumps than has heretofore been their want. The average American boy is "hard to down," legislate for him as you will, and he is never happier than when exercising his ingenuity to do that which he is told he shall not do.—Johnson County Review.

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## BRYAN ON TRUSTS.

Tells the Delegates His Opinion of Trusts and Combinations.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—The trust conference at Central Music hall was addressed today by Colonel W. J. Bryan. The hall was packed in anticipation of Bryan's reply to Cockran on the trust question. It was reported that Bryan had a set of resolutions to present, presumably antagonistic to trusts as they now exist. However, he denied this, saying: "I have none prepared and am not sure whether I have to prepare any for presentation."

Bryan was introduced by Governor Stanley of Kansas who acted as chairman at the opening of the session. Mr. Bryan argued that monopoly in private hands is indefensible. One trust might be less harmful than another, but there was no good monopoly in private hands. Bryan denied that under monopoly prices were reduced. He protested against settling every question upon the dollar argument. In the early years of Lincoln's administration he sent a message to congress warning his countrymen against the approach of monarchy. He said in the attempt to put capital on an equal footing, if not above labor in the structure of the government, he saw the approach of monarchy. Lincoln was right.

"Whenever you put capital on an equal footing with labor, or above labor, in the structure of a government, you are on the road to aid a government that rests not upon reason, but force," said Mr. Bryan. "What is the first thing expected of a trust? That it will cut down expenses. What's the second? That it will raise prices. We have had not in this country yet a taste of a complete trust, a complete monopoly, and we cannot tell what will be the result of a complete monopoly by looking at the results we have followed from attempts to secure a monopoly because in the attempt to secure a monopoly, monopoly has been lowering the prices in order to rid itself of competitors. But when it has rid itself of competitors, what is going to be the result? My friends all you have to know is human nature. God made men selfish, selfishness is merely the outgrowth of the instinct of self preservation. Its abnormal development is a man's desire to protect himself."

"Both state and nation should have concurrent remedies for trusts. In the first place every state has, or should have, the right to create any private corporation, which in the judgment of the people of the state, is conducive to the welfare of the people of that state. I believe we can safely entrust to the people of a state the settlement of the question which concerns them. If they create a corporation and it becomes destructive of their best interests, they can destroy that corporation, and we can safely trust them both to create and annihilate, if conditions make annihilations necessary."

"In the second place a state has or should have the right to prohibit any foreign corporation from doing business in the state and it ought to have or has the right to impose such restrictions and limitations as the people of the state may think necessary on any foreign corporations doing business in the state. I believe, in addition to state remedy there must be a Federal remedy, and I believe congress has or should have the power to place such restrictions and limitations, even to the point of prohibition upon any corporation organized in one state that wants to do business outside of that state."

At the conclusion of his speech Mr. Bryan resumed his seat facing a sea of wildly waving arms and a storm of cheers.

Congressman Gaines of Tennessee, assumed the chairmanship and introduced James H. Raymond of Chicago, who spoke on "Patents and Monopolies."

## NO JOINT DEBATE.

Bourke Cockran and Bryan Did Not Speak Together at Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—The joint debate looked for last night between W. J. Bryan and W. Bourke Cockran on trusts did not take place. Central Music hall was an eager audience, but the people present had to content themselves without the oratory of the famous Nebraskan who, however, occupied a seat on the platform.

Mr. Bryan reached Central Music hall early in the evening. He went direct to a room upstairs where he was greeted by Chairman Franklin Head, Congressman Gaines, Ralph M. Easley and other members of the programme committee of the civic federation conference on trusts. Mr. Bryan surprised the committee by declining to speak at the night session with W. Bourke Cockran in accordance with the programme previously arranged. Mr. Bryan explained that he did not wish to let the impression go out that he was to enter into a debate with Mr. Cockran at the state session.

Mr. Cockran was sent for and he and Mr. Bryan discussed the situation. The committee withdrew to allow the two orators to settle the dispute among themselves. Mr. Bryan positively refused to speak in joint debate with Mr. Cockran. He will speak at today's session.

Though disappointed in failing to see Bryan and Cockran pitted against each other, the audience nevertheless enjoyed a rare treat, as Mr. Cockran was at his best and his speech was punctuated with frequent and prolonged applause. When Mr. Bryan made his appearance it was the signal for tumultuous cheering which lasted until the Nebraskan had taken his seat on the speaker's stand.

## SCHLEY'S NEW PLACE.

Will Be in Command of the South Atlantic Squadron.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Sometime ago Admiral Schley applied to the navy department for sea service. At present he is head of the retiring board. The navy department has now granted the request and has notified him to hold himself in readiness to command the South Atlantic station.

The department will take steps to make the command commensurate with his rank by increasing considerably the number of vessels on the station. The Cincinnati will probably go there. The Detroit is already on her way to join, and the Marblehead is likely to be attached with the addition of a battleship. Altogether there will be five or six ships on the station when the quota is filled. It is said at the department that with a threatened war in South Africa, which is part of the station, and the disturbed conditions in South and Central America, the South Atlantic command is considered one of importance.

## REFUSED BAIL.

Greenhaw Must Lay in Athens Jail Until All Cases Disposed Of.

Athens, Tex., Sept. 16.—In the habeas corpus hearing of John Greenhaw, one of the parties indicted for the Humphries murder, before Judge Lipscomb he was refused bail and sent back to jail.

The contention of Greenhaw's attorneys were that as he had been promised his liberty at the proper time by the state provided he would testify and tell the whole truth in the Humphries lynching affair, he was no more than a state's witness and should not be restrained from his liberties and should be admitted to bail in the proper sum.

The state contended that there was nothing binding on the part of Greenhaw to compel him to comply with his part of the contract and that he could at any time refuse to testify and that his part of the contract would not be fulfilled until final disposition of the other cases.

## Freight Wreck on the Big Four.

Muncie, Ind., Sept. 16.—A westbound freight on the Big Four railroad broke in two while coming down Farmland hill, and the two sections crashed together with such force that a dozen box and flat cars were piled upon each other. Nearly a dozen tramps were on the train, but miraculously escaped serious injury. The damage to the company will reach several thousand dollars. A car load of sugar was taken away by farmers after the spill.

## Another Advance.

New York, Sept. 16.—The meat combination has made another advance in prices. Pork has almost doubled and veal has advanced 25 per cent. Loin of pork now costs the butchers 12 cents where formerly it was only 6 cents a pound; veal 12 and 13 cents a pound, while a year ago it was 7 and 8 cents.

## Henry Deleagall Acquitted.

Guyton, Ga., Sept. 16.—Henry Deleagall, colored, was acquitted in the Effingham county court of the charge of criminal assault upon a white woman in McIntosh county. His son was given a life sentence for killing a deputy at Darien, which caused so much trouble there a few weeks ago.

## Ran Upon a Burning Bridge.

Nebraska City, Neb., Sept. 16.—A freight train on the Missouri Pacific road ran on a bridge which was on fire, eight miles south of this city. The bridge gave way and the engine followed by 20 cars plunged into the ditch. Engineer Gillinn, brakeman Foster and fireman Miller Rouse were burned to death in the wreck.

## Charged With Murder.

Cleburne, Tex., Sept. 16.—City Marshal Webb Poff of Alvarado brought in D. Furgerson and lodged him in jail charged with killing Henry Mackin. Mackin was shot twice, dying in a few minutes. Both parties are old and respected citizens of this county and had been friends for 20 years.

## An Attempted Assassination.

Sulphur Springs, Tex., Sept. 16.—Mr. Nunn, living 10 miles north of town, and when near home, some one raised up out of a gully and shot at him three times, one ball grazing the skin, otherwise no damage. He says he recognized the party. Officers left here to effect an arrest.

## Printing Plant Destroyed.

Lincoln, Neb., 16.—Fire broke out at 1:30 o'clock this morning in the Jacob North Printing house, a 3-story and basement brick, containing an immense amount of printing machinery and the home of many publications. The North building was a total loss.

## Boyle's Trial Postponed.

Texarkana, Tex., Sept. 16.—The trial of Mayor Boyle of Linden, Tex., has been postponed until the April term of court. Boyle is charged with killing Attorney Culbertson in Atlanta, Tex., about two weeks ago.

## Off for the Philippines.

San Antonio, Sept. 16.—The Thirty-third regiment of United States volunteer infantry left for San Francisco, the first step of their long journey to the orient. About 2,000 people were at the depot to bid the soldiers goodbye.

## Fatally Burned.

Paris, Tex., Sept. 16.—The 12-year-old daughter of Robert Bobo, 16 miles north of here, near Chicota, was fatally burned while starting a fire with coal oil to cook supper. The house and contents were destroyed.

## Accidental Fatal Shooting.

Rock Island, Tex., Sept. 16.—T. T. Emerson accidentally shot and killed himself at his home in this place.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

J. W. Dyer went to Navasota yesterday.  
 Louis Fuller visited Calvert yesterday.  
 Miss Lillie Philpott left yesterday for Laredo.  
 See Bonnevill's new stock, pretty and up to date 252  
 Lang the machinist, at Carr's Hardware store.  
 G. Buchanan was here from yesterday.  
 Frank Mount Vernon Pure Rye at the Exposition saloon. 160f  
 Lem B. Hall has returned from a business trip to Dallas.  
 Mrs. Louis Mendola left yesterday to visit at Corrigan.  
 Prof. B. F. Bullock was a visitor to the city yesterday.  
 Smoke General Arthur cigars sold at Exposition saloon. 1f.  
 Ralph Boyett is improving after an illness of several days.  
 300 pounds Lendreth's new crop turnip at Mawhinney's. Oct8.  
 Milton Lane was here from Hearne yesterday on legal business.  
 See Bonneville's new line of ready made shirt waists and skirts. 252  
 All kinds of fine millinery very cheap Mrs. C. M. Proctors. 183tf  
 Mrs. H. Kernole and daughter, Miss Mable, went to Navasota yesterday.  
 Miss Jennie Howell left yesterday for Dallas to attend St. Mary's institute.  
 Walter M. Lang, general machinist at Hardware store. Phone 44. dtf  
 There were 405 boys at the A. and M. yesterday, with 389 matriculated.  
 A. Strickland of Tabor, gave the city a pleasant call while in the city today.  
 Royall of College Station, came to see you money on fruit and ornaments. Read his ad in this paper. dt  
 Congressman R. L. Henry of Waco, arrived in Bryan yesterday afternoon on the southbound train.  
 J. McClung Will Carnes, Will Beason and Beason Isbell were here from county yesterday.  
 SOLE—My buggy horse, or will change for good buggy and saddle. Apply to H. C. Robinson. 255  
 Beattie Neeley, who has been in the family of W. B. Christie at Hollow, returned to Wellborn today.

For accident and life insurance sick or funeral benefits either in lodge or straight life companies see Joe B. Reed. He also sells flour. tf  
 Rev. J. C. Mickle, presiding elder, who conducted quarterly conference at the Methodist church here Thursday night, left yesterday for Hempstead.  
 Chas. Edinburg's restaurant in the Zennati block is now open day and night. Regular meals 35 cents. Short order lunches at all hours. tf  
 The A. O. U. W. initiated two new members at their last regular meeting, and are to have a special meeting next Thursday night to take in four more.  
 The W. T. Austin chapter will hold a business meeting of importance at their lodge room next Tuesday night, which members are earnestly requested to attend.  
 Divine services having been resumed at St. Andrew's Episcopal church, you are cordially invited to attend the same. Rev. Herbert E. Bowers, D. D., L. L. D. Rector. tf  
 Tom South, formerly of this city, and later for several years in the newspaper business at Houston, is now a fireman on the Southern Pacific with his home at El Paso.  
 Lee Windsor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Windsor, of Reliance, died at noon yesterday, and will be buried this afternoon at Wickson. He was fifteen years of age.  
**A. and M. College Directors.**  
 Mr. C. A. Adams yesterday wired from Austin to Saunders & Johnson, the directors of the A. and M. college, appointed by the governor, who are as follows: Capt. F. A. Reichardt of Houston, Hon. Frank Holland of Dallas, Col. Marion Sansom of Alvarado, Judge D. A. Paulus of Hallettsville, Hon. Alvah Smith of Limestone county, Mr. Kokernut of San Antonio. Hon. Jefferson Johnson remains an ex-officio member of the board. The first three named are old members of the board and Judge Paulus has served on the board before.  
**Exchange Hotel Arrivals.**  
 J. Jetton, Hearne; C. Van Eaton, Dallas; W. H. Roberts, Houston; G. H. McGinis, Dallas; H. D. Gohlman, Louisville, Jno. J. Bradley, J. H. Shelly, Dallas; A. M. Hildebrandt, San Antonio; L. H. Fuller, city.

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## Cross, Grimes County.

News is scarce this week, everybody is busy picking cotton, cutting hay and making tanks. Cotton will soon all be picked in this section if the weather continues good.  
 Mr. Jerry Isbell is still very feeble.  
 Mr. Spell of Pankey community has been very sick the past week. We are glad to say that Prof. A. J. Horton is able to resume work again after several weeks sickness. M.

## Cotton Receipts.

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|---------------------------|------|
| Lawrence Warehouse.....   | 3175 |
| Farmers' Cotton Yard..... | 2222 |
| Brick Warehouse.....      | 958  |
| Darwin's Yard.....        | 1045 |
| Dawson's Yard.....        | 449  |
| Holloman's Yard.....      | 219  |
| Wilson's Yard.....        | 599  |
| Conlee's yard.....        | 299  |
| Total.....                | 8966 |

Strayed or Stolen—From John M. Caldwell's pasture, one Jersey heifer yearling, light tan colored with white spots. Reward for return to Jno. M. Caldwell or information leading to recovery. 254

## NOTICE.

J. M. Willingham with Bush & Gerts Piano Co., will be here Monday. Now is your time to buy a first-class piano at the right price.

## Of Little Value.

This latest decision of the French courts, awarding \$20,000 damages to the wife of a passenger lost in the Bourgogne disaster, on the ground that the captain of the Bourgogne neglected his duty, would be more interesting if there was any chance of collecting the damages. The court has reserved for the company the right to declare the steamer and he freight abandoned, in which case payment could be evaded, and it undoubtedly will be.

## DIVERSIFICATION IN BRAZOS COUNTY.

What the Eagle Traveling Man Learned About It.

While on the road in the interest of the Weekly Eagle's subscription list, I have not had my eyes shut to the business and social affairs of the people of the county. In fact, that is one object of my travels, for The Eagle wants to keep in touch with people of the county, so as to make it indeed a paper representative of Brazos county and her people.

I went on one trip from Bryan to College, and around through Providence neighborhood into the bottom, out by Wellborn and on to Millican, through the Minter Springs country, over to Sulphur Springs, Peach creek community, and home by the Bryan and Wellborn road, after being out a week.

On this trip I saw in several communities good fruit crops both peaches and pears. T. H. Royder at Wellborn has a five acre orchard, and will add 20 more acres at once, because his returns from the sale of the first have been splendid. He shipped largely this season, realizing \$3 a bushel from peaches. Mr. Royder says he will make money off his orchard if he only gets a dollar a bushel net. In planting his new orchard he will use grafted trees, so his varieties will be true to name, and marketable any where. He will plant his trees 20 feet apart. He thinks, and I agree with him, that he will make good money off his orchard.

Mr. Dowling of Minter Springs has a fine orchard and will add more to it. The Eagle publishes a letter elsewhere from Mr. Dowling, telling of his success with apples and peaches and giving some hints on cultivating an orchard.

Pears seem to do as well as peaches and there is a fine prospect for certain kinds of apples.

I found many orchards that were good, but these two are the most notable instance of success with fruit.

## GOOBERS.

On another trip through Rock Prairie and Cartwheel Prairie, I found a good deal of interest in the raising of goobers.

Mr. E. Gandy has two acres in this crop; P. L. Barron has five; J. B. Carroll and J. M. Morgan have two acres each, and many others have small patches.

Goobers are planted to feed hogs, horses and cattle. A horse will quit eating corn to feed on goobers, so I am informed by some of those who are planting them.

I am told that goobers require about the same amount of labor as that of corn, and yield more food product per acre. They plant the little spanish ground pea. Those now growing them will continue to do so, and some will increase the acreage.

Seed can be bought of these people at \$1 per bushel, and a bushel will plant an acre.

This county needs to have introduced a good forage crop like alfalfa, and I shall perhaps have something to say about that in another letter.

The Eagle is the popular paper everywhere. I am putting it in what few homes there are in the county where it is not going already. C. E. PEARSON.

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## SUMMER!

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## Breakfast:

|   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| Oat Meal                                | Cracked Wheat        |
| Mackerel                                |                      |
| Swift's Premium Breakfast Bacon and Ham |                      |
| Rice                                    | Potatoes             |
| Maple Syrup                             | Sugar House Molasses |
| Coffee                                  | Johnson's Butter     |
| Tea                                     | Cocoa                |

## Dinner:

|                                  |                       |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Anderson's Concentrated Soups    | Franco-American Soups |
| Deviled Crabs                    | Shrimp and Lobster    |
| Herring                          | Tripe                 |
| Corned Beef                      | Veal Loaf             |
| Cabbage                          | Corn                  |
| Tomatoes                         | French Peas           |
| Mushroom                         | Asparagus             |
| Sour, Sweet and Dill Pickles     | Mangoes               |
| Variety of Sauces and Condiments | Olives                |

## Supper:

|                                |          |              |
|--------------------------------|----------|--------------|
| Salmon                         | Sardines | Chipped Beef |
| Libby & McNeill's Canned Meats |          |              |
| Peaches                        | Pears    | Nectarines   |
| Apples                         | Jams     | Preserves    |
| Cheese                         | Coffee   |              |

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## SENSATIONAL EPISODE

Charles Summers Gives Himself up to Finish a Sentence.

## TIRED OF DODGING.

He Repays the Express Company for Money He Stole and Pays the State for Money Spent in Convicting Him.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 16.—Charles O. Summers, the noted express robber and escaped convict who has run the gauntlet of the Pinkertons for the past five years as a fugitive from the Mississippi penitentiary, arrived here Friday afternoon and gave himself over to the prison authorities of his own volition. Summers' sensational escape from the walls here after being convicted of robbing the Southern Express company of \$3,000 at Meridian and his capture in San Francisco and second escape, are all recalled by his return to prison.

Charles O. Summers in 1892 was a detective in the service of the Pinkerton Detective agency, and in that capacity was employed by the Southern Express company to capture Eugene Burch, who had robbed a Southern Express train near Hammond, La., in the spring of 1892. Burch and his copartners in the train robbery were captured, Burch being killed and Summers returned to the Chicago office of the Pinkerton agency.

While in the pursuit of the train robber Summers was in and about Meridian Miss., a great deal and familiarized himself with the details of the office of the Southern Express company at that point. Soon after his return to Chicago he divulged to one Tom Murray, another Pinkerton detective, the plan he had conceived to rob the safe of the express company at Meridian. Both Summers and Murray resigned their positions with the Pinkerton agency and left Chicago quietly and secretly for Meridian. Summers had in the meantime made a false key to the office door and to the safe.

During the temporary absence of the night clerk and his force in attendance upon a train, 100 feet distant from the office, Summers quickly entered the office and safe by these false keys and abstracted a parcel of \$5000. The money was handed to his partner, Murray, who departed on a train for New Orleans and Summers quietly retired to his hotel.

When the loss was discovered, Summers, known to be in the city was summoned to aid in tracing the thief. In a short while the express officials and detectives arrived upon the scene and began an investigation. In less than 48 hours Summers had been arrested and confessed that he and Murray had committed the theft. Murray was arrested just as he embarked from a train at Chicago, the third day after the robbery and \$4100 of the money was recovered from his person.

Both Summers and Murray pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five years each in the Mississippi state penitentiary.

Summers escaped the first time by drying his clothes and passing the guard. The second escape was effected through bribing a guard.

Summers turned over to officials \$500 to repay the state for expenses out upon him and gave the express company \$1500 to make up his deficit with them and their expenses in searching for him.

He stated he had led a dodging life long enough and wanted to serve out his time and be a free man once more.

Summers was well dressed. He presented the appearance of prosperity and said that he had made a little money in the mining business.

### Strike Settled.

Ducktown, Tenn., Sept. 16.—The strike at this place is at an end. The miners and the general manager of the Ducktown Sulphur, Copper and Iron company, met and came to an agreement and the strikers voted to return to work. It is to the credit of the miners that they remained quiet and peaceful. The reports of disorder here were unadulterated exaggerations.

### Deadly Kerosene Can.

Galveston, Sept. 16.—Mrs. Louise DeCarlo, aged 20, the wife of a motorman on the Galveston City railroad, was burned to death in her kitchen here. She was alone in the kitchen at the time, but it is supposed she attempted to pour kerosene into the stove from a gallon jar and that it struck a live coal and an explosion followed.

### Rendon Granted Bail.

Corsicana, Tex., Sept. 16.—The examining trial of Ed Rendon, charged with the killing of Dick Holland near Kerens, resulted in the defendant being admitted to bail in the sum of \$500. Bond was readily made and the prisoner was discharged.

### Postoffice Robbed.

Newport, Ark., Sept. 16.—The postoffice in this city was robbed early Friday morning. The safe was blown open and about \$500 in cash and 30 registered packages contained an unknown amount were stolen. There is no clew to the robbers.

### Fayette Wilson Killed.

Cumby, Tex., Sept. 16.—Fayette Wilson was shot and killed near Ruff, four miles north of this place. Wess Adams has surrendered to the officers here, claiming self-defense.

## PHILIPPINE ADVICES.

They Come to Washington Authorities and an American-Philippine Paper.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Recent copies of The American, published at Manila, received at the war department contain many interesting items regarding the progress of events in the Philippines, which have been omitted from the regular press dispatches. Although Cavite has been in the possession of the United States longer than any other town in the islands, it is still under strict military rule, but the district commander and the provost marshal have given the people every concession which the exigencies of the service would permit. The natives are allowed on the streets until 9:30 at night and in other ways they enjoy more liberty than do their brethren in Manila.

Simplicio Sameningo, a native of Cavite, has filed a claim with the United States authorities for prize money in connection with the capture of a filibustering expedition. It seems that he furnished the information which led to the seizure of the steamer Don Jose and a small schooner, both loaded with contraband articles last spring.

"The white man's burden," which has been carried by the volunteers and regulars in the Philippine islands for over a year, is now being shared by some of the black boys of the United States. A sergeant in the Twenty-fourth infantry said the other day when saluted with the question, "What are you boys doing here?"

"Why boss, we're here to take up de white man's burden."

According to a special dispatch the people of Cebu are restless and threaten trouble. Although they seem peaceful, it is thought to be their fear alone. Chinamen at Sibonga, Cebu, are reported to be removing their goods to the hills. The Twenty-third infantry has established a camp at Sibonga and are prepared for anything that may occur.

The establishment of a public almshouse and a home for incurables at Manila is being strongly advocated, not only as a very necessary charity, but as a means of protection for the American and European population. It is also recommended that the jails be enlarged for the accommodation of vagrants who are able to work but who will not do so.

Good results are shown in the Manila public school system. The total number of pupils enrolled in that city during July was 4179. It is noteworthy that parents are expressing particular interest in the study of English and the progress being made by many pupils is a matter of great family pride.

A wealthy Chinese tea merchant of Formosa intends to see if tea culture cannot be profitably carried on in the Philippines. It is said he is negotiating for a large tract of land on the island of Negros.

### GIMORE AND PARTY.

They Are Held by Filipinos and Get but Little to Eat.

Washington, Sept. 16.—News concerning Lieutenant Gilmore and 14 other of the enlisted men of the Yorktown who were captured by the Filipinos near Baler, more than six months ago, has reached Washington in letters to military officials from their fellow officers. The latest information comes through a Spanish planter by the name of Garza, who was imprisoned by the insurrectionists and subsequently made his escape. Garza described Lieutenant Gilmore and his companions to officers in Manila. He said that the officers and 14 men were at Bigau, where they were subsisting off a meager quantity of rice valued at not more than 1 peseta per man per day. The allowance was more liberal than that for the Spanish prisoners, every one of whom was allotted at 4 peseta per day. There were fully 2000 of the latter at Bigau, Garza said, and all prisoners, Spanish and American, showed the effect of the confinement and the poor and insufficient food. He is quoted as saying that the captives could not stand such hardships and such fare much longer.

Garza also described the extent of the force at Bigau, where fully 8000 Filipinos are now under arms. Some of the weapons are Mausers, with which the troops on the line are being equipped steadily. The sources of supply evidently amazed Garza as it has those in authority at Manila. He said the old weapons were being distributed to the troops in the interior and that the armament of the infantry goes on to an alarming extent. Garza also reports that the Filipinos in some instances, were equipped with the uniforms of Americans including the cork helmet. These articles evidently came from the steamer Contennial, which went on the reef of the northwestern coast of Luzon and was promptly looted. Garza witnessed also the destruction of the Saturnus, of which he furnished a vivid account to the authorities.

Navy department officials say that steps have already been taken to relieve Lieutenant Gilmore and his party.

### YELLOW FEVER.

#### Thirty New Cases.

Key West, Sept. 16.—There were 30 new cases of yellow fever here on Friday with one death.

#### No New Cases.

Washington, Sept. 16.—No new cases reported in Louisiana and Mississippi.

#### Savannah Quarantines.

Savannah, Sept. 16.—The city council has declared a quarantine against New Orleans on account of the yellow fever.

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